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**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
 P.O. Box 1450  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated February 22, 2007, the Applicant hereby elects, without traverse, group II, claims 7-13 and 20-39, to prosecute in the above-identified patent application. The Applicant reserves the right to file a divisional application covering the subject matter of the non-elected claims.

Applicant believes that no fees are required in the filing of this Response. However, if it is determined that any fees are required, the Commissioner is authorized to charge such fees to our Deposit Account No. 50-0805 (Order No. SONYP028). Should the Examiner have any questions concerning this matter, the undersigned can be reached at the telephone number set out below.

Respectfully submitted,  
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